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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

## Kenneth O. Lipscomb

Application No: 09/679,688

**Filed: October 5, 2000**

For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
DISTRIBUTING MEDIA ASSETS TO  
USER DEVICES AND MANAGING  
USER RIGHTS OF THE MEDIA  
ASSETS**

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Group Art Unit: **2142**

Examiner: **Prieto, Beatriz**

**Our File No.: 26001.1001**

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks  
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## AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 26, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

### A. In the Drawings

Please amend Figs. 1-11 as detailed in the attached Request For Approval Of Drawing Changes.

### B. In the Claims

Please amend the claims as shown below (a marked-up copy of the amended claims are attached as Exhibit A):

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1. A system for distributing ~~digital~~ media assets to a plurality of users, comprising: